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occurred unless otherwise stipulated" and then it goes on to say that if it occurred outside the state of Nebraska, it would be in Lancaster county, which is similar to what we have now and that whole amendment deals with reinserting the reference back to the district court and even strikes the language, "in the absence of fraud" and puts it back to, "having the same force and effect as a jury verdict in a civil case.", as we now have. That part of it, I think we have just done it. I think your amendment is totally unnecessary.

SENATOR KELLY: All right. Senator Luedtke, I was relying not on the legalees but upon the statements of Senator DeCamp that he was inserting the District Court as it affected lump sum payments. My amendment would insert the District Court in all review matters from the Workmen's Compensation Court.

PRESIDENT: Senator Syas.

SENATOR SYAS: Just one question of Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY: Yes sir.

SENATOR SYAS: Where did you get this amendment to put the District Court back into the act?

SENATOR KELLY: From Ralph D. Kelly.

SENATOR SYAS: Now, wait, you mean you thought it up all by yourself.

SENATOR KELLY: All by myself, Senator Syas.

SENATOR SYAS: If you oppose the bill, which is the same as opposing the bill, you could have come into the public hearing.

SENATOR KELLY: Yes sir, I could have.

PRESIDENT: Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: I guess I have to ask Senator Kelly a question. I don't know where your amendment is but I heard. Senator Kelly, are you repealing Sections 48-152 on Page 10 and 48-153 on Page 11. If you are, you are getting rid of Nebraska's Compensation Court. Did I catch you or is that what you are doing?

SENATOR KELLY: Senator Barnett, if you have the book there. This amendment will strike sections 1 to 8 in the bill.

SENATOR BARNETT: And what is the repealer?

SENATOR KELLY: And 11 to 22. Original sections 48-152 and 153 are repealed.

SENATOR BARNETT: What happens to them. They are repealed?

SENATOR KELLY: That is what it says.

SENATOR BARNETT: Well, you are then striking out, as I understand it, Section 48-152 sets up the Nebraska Workmen's